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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111 TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED AUGUST 22, 2006

SIR:

This is an Amendment and Response filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 and responds to the non-final Office Action mailed August 22, 2006 in this reissue application. A response is due by December 22, 2006 with a one-month extension of time to file. As such, Applicants petition herewith for a one-month extension of time. Applicants authorize the Commissioner to charge the extension fee and to charge any other fees or credit any overpayment regarding this application to Kenyon & Kenyon LLP Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Applicants respectfully submit the amendments made herein place the application in condition for allowance.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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